

Tightening Coal Shortage Puts Pressure On Talks

Court-Ordered New Negotiations Begin Today

Washington, Feb. 14—(AP)—Informal coal rationing began in the capital tonight on the eve of court-ordered new negotiations for a soft coal contract. The nationwide miners' strike, meantime, continued full force in the fact of the government's Taft-Hartley injunction against it.

The coal sales curb right under the negotiators' noses was only one of a series of new signs of the tremendous pressure that the tightening fuel emergency is putting on their talks.

In Albany, N. Y., Gov. Thomas E. Dewey got quick unanimous approval from the state legislature for emergency 90-day authority to ration coal and restrict use of electric power and manufacture of gas. In a special message the governor said New York state has only a 10-day coal supply and "if the present strike should continue longer than a few days more, our state would face a catastrophe."

Schools Close
In Buffalo, N. Y., public schools were ordered shut, effective tomorrow, for one week to save coal.

Republic Steel announced the shut-down of its blast furnace at Troy, N. Y., for lack of fuel, the sixth Republic plant to be cooled by the coal strike.

The Republic workers in Troy joined a swelling army of men made jobless by lack of fuel for steel mills, railroads and a widening list of other industries.

For the moment coal rationing in Washington was not formal, though the District of Columbia commissioners said officially there is an "emergency." They asked coal dealers to deliver (a) only one ton at a time to anthracite customers and (b) only three days' supply to soft coal buyers and that much only when the buyer's bin is below the three-day level.

10-Day Supply In Capital
Coal dealers told the capital's governing body there is only a 10-day supply of commercial coal here and planning got under way for more stringent measures later if needed.

Suggestions were advanced to shut down amusement places and turn off apartment heat in the middle of the day.

The upshot depends on the contract talks starting tomorrow. There was agreement tonight that anything can happen in those sessions, all the way from peaceable settlement to the grandest blow-up in the history of such negotiations.

State Asks Court To Outlaw White Circle League

Chicago, Feb. 14—(AP)—The state today asked the circuit court to outlaw the White Circle League of America as a group "tending to incite hatred against negroes."

If successful, the state would let the court cancel the league's state charter and fine its seven directors up to \$25,000 each. No date has been set for a hearing and no judge has been assigned yet.

The league, a Chicago organization headed by Joseph Benham, was chartered Nov. 9 by the state as a not-for-profit group with educational, charitable and research purposes "to safeguard the property of its members."

Some of the listed officers live in south side Chicago areas on the fringe of negro and white residential areas, and where there have been recent racial disorders.

The state's attorney's complaint says the group violates the state constitution's bill of rights and the state's public policy, and the federal constitution's guarantee of due process of law.

Lawyer Vows Wife Will Cook Hubby Spinach Any Time

Chicago, Feb. 14—(AP)—"She'll obey his every order—as a servant would a master," a lawyer vowed today. "She'll even cook him spinach for breakfast."

The man who likes spinach is Glenn Ford, 34, Chicago high school basketball star. He and his wife, Doris, 31, of De Kalb, Ill., separated last April Feb. 14.

The subject of obedience and spinach came up before Circuit Judge Daniel A. Roberts. He was hearing a Valentine's Day plea for reconciliation made by Mrs. Ford's attorney, Sol R. Friedman.

Before she was temporary support last April, Ford said his wife did not comply with the word "obey" in the marriage vow. Although he was spinach, he added, she never gave him any.

Ford did not appear at today's hearing. The hearing was continued until Feb. 20.

Truman Selects Republican Acting Chairman Of AEC

Washington, Feb. 14—(AP)—President Truman today chose Sumner T. Pike, a Republican, as acting chairman of the atomic energy commission to direct the development of the hydrogen bomb.

The White House said Pike will begin serving on Thursday as acting head of the multi-billion-dollar atomic project, pending the appointment of a successor to David E. Lilienthal.

Lilienthal, who leaves office tomorrow, has been chairman since a five-man civilian board took over control of atomic energy from the army in 1946. Pike is the last of the original five-man panel. He has been vice chairman under Lilienthal.

The White House did not indicate when a permanent chairman will be named.

A native of Maine, the 58-year-old

Pike is a onetime Boston public utilities clerk who made fortunes in oil and in Wall Street. He has described himself as being "leftish, as Republicans go."

Pike entered government service in 1939 as a 31-a-year business adviser to the late Harry Hopkins, then Secretary of Commerce, and subsequently became a member of the federal securities and exchange commission.

Pike had originally planned to leave the AEC this spring, but was reported to have reconsidered at Lilienthal's request. He was said to be Lilienthal's nominee to Mr. Truman as acting chairman.

After a goodbye call on Mr. Truman today, Lilienthal told newsmen that on his return to private life he plans to talk and lecture in support of the president's basic atomic policy.

Churchill Urges Big 3 Meet To Make Truce

Edinburgh, Scotland, Feb. 14—(AP)—Winston Churchill tonight urged a new Big Three conference to reach a truce in the hatreds between the eastern and western worlds.

If conservatives win Britain's general election nine days hence, the participants in any such conference presumably would be Churchill, Joseph Stalin and President Truman.

Labor Prime Minister Attlee a year ago, in his latest statement on the question, said he saw no reason for inviting Stalin and the President to London for such a conference.

Making his first election speech in Scotland, Churchill revived the talk of another big three conference which has never died completely.

since the last one—at Potsdam in 1945.

Churchill said: "Still, I cannot help coming back to this idea of another talk with Soviet Russia upon the highest level."

"The idea appeals to me of a supreme effort to bridge the gulf between the two worlds so that each can live their life, if not in friendship, at least without the hatreds of the cold war."

Churchill represented Britain at the first half of the Potsdam conference in the Russian sector of Berlin in 1945, but did not see its finish.

Conservatives were defeated in a parliamentary election in the midst of the conference, and Prime Minister Attlee took his place.

On the return trip from that conference, President Truman announced on Aug. 6, 1945 the exploding of the first atom bomb at Hiroshima.

Soon after his return he declared he would not attend another Big Three conference outside the United States.

Talk of another conference—on a big two basis—was raised in its most intense form on Jan. 30, 1949.

In answer to a questionaire from Kingsbury Smith of the International news service, Stalin said then that he had "no objection" to meeting President Truman at a mutually acceptable place to discuss a "peace pact."

The Berlin blockade was then at its height and the North Atlantic pact was in process of formation.

Seattle, Feb. 14—(AP)—Blazing and coated with ice, an Air Force B-36 Bomber has been forced down north of here, presumably in wind-tossed icy Queen Charlotte sound, with 17 men aboard.

Sixteen of the persons on the plane were crew members, the 17th was a civilian.

An extensive two-nation air-sea search was begun immediately after the giant six-engined plane reported about 11:40 p.m. (PST) Monday (1:40 CST, Tuesday), that it was being forced to "ditch" in the waters approximately 400 miles northwest of Seattle.

Radio messages intercepted at that time reported the plane was afire in one of its engines, its instruments were crippled and the craft was severelyiced. Another report said the plane lost three engines before going down. The report was interpreted to mean the three engines were disabled.

Messages from the crippled plane were relayed by an accompanying B-36, which reached Carswell Air Force base at Fort Worth, Tex., this afternoon.

The Carswell information officer said it was "training, icing and sleeting" when the B-36 vanished, with low visibility. The sister ship stayed in the vicinity for nearly an hour, trying in vain to see or to contact the disabled plane. Both B-36s were flying on instruments at the time.

Bomber Skids Off Runway And Hits House: None Hurt

Glenview, Ill., Feb. 14—(AP)—A four-engined navy bomber skidded off the end of a runway after landing today and smashed into a bungalow, but no one was hurt.

The accident occurred at the Glenview navy air base 15 miles northwest of Chicago. Emil Prizzo, occupant of the four-room bungalow, beyond the southeast corner of the field, was frying sausage and eggs for lunch.

"I heard a loud roar and a crash, and the whole house shook, and plaster fell in the frying pan," he said.

Lt. W. J. Chrupcala of Patuxent River, Md., was at the controls of the craft, a remodeled version of the air force B-17 designated a PB1-W by the navy. There were four other crew members.

Navy officers said the craft was making a ground control approach landing and came in with good radar pattern but made what they termed "long landing." The plane encountered an icy portion of the runway and its brakes were ineffective. It crashed through a fence as Chrupcala made a partly successful attempt to ground loop it.

The plane's left wing struck the roof of Prizzo's cottage. About one fourth of the roof was sheared off and the plane was damaged extensively.

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HOPE OF A POLIO CURE

Two or three years more may bring an answer to the polio menace. That is the hope, at least, held out by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, as related in the New York Times by Howard A. Rusk, M. D.

The foundation, which has spent \$11,000,000 to date in its research work, has discovered three unrelated polio viruses. The trouble is, injection of one will not provide immunity for the others. Scientists are now collecting specimens of virus from patients all over the world, and hope that all viruses will be "fingerprinted" within two or three years. Then they must incorporate all of them in a compound vaccine with the hope of providing complete immunity from the disease.

The research experts have made some unusual discoveries. One is that for every polio case that is diagnosed, as many as 200 persons may carry the virus without knowing it. Another is that in some countries of the poorest sanitation, like China and the Philippines, where foreign visitors catch polio readily, the natives are virtually immune to it except in the ages under 5.

Boyle's Column

—How To Skin A Muskrat

By Hal Boyle

Cambridge, Md. — The world's champion muskrat skinner says he's going to quit tramping the marshes.

"Man, I've handled many a muskrat in my time, and I have less now than I did when I started out 40 years ago," said Curtis Insley.

Insley, a tall, powerful man of 53, is to the fine old American art of muskrat skinning what Joe DiMaggio is to baseball.

It came as no surprise to him last Saturday when he won the national muskrat skinning contest at the Cambridge outdoor show against trappers from Maine to Louisiana.

"Never Been Beat Fair," "I really never have been beat fair," said Insley, "and that ain't bragging."

To win the \$250 first prize Insley skinned five muskrats in one minute, 50.4 seconds. As usual one of his chief rivals was George North, an older trapper.

The skinning can be done in two ways. Insley is a lap skinner, who works seated with the muskrats between his knees. North is a foot skinner. He skins with one knee on the floor and one foot on the muskrat's tail.

In either case incisions are made at the base of the animal's tail. He is then shucked inside out and separated from his pelt by a series of rapid knife slices, any one of which can take off the trapper's finger and the pelt must be removed in marketable condition. They go into fur coats.

Insley has been going out to the marshes, the Brackish wastelands that vegetarians muskrats love, since he was 13.

Once Trapped 2,900
In a single 74-day season he once trapped 2,900 muskrats, or about 40

per day. He works on a share-alike basis with the owner of the marshland.

He farms and does day labor out of trapping season.

In his lifetime he has seen the pelts sell from 40 cents to \$4.00 or more.

"I've made as much as \$1,800 in a season," he said. "But I'll be lucky if I clear \$50 this year."

Good pelts now fetch about \$1.25. And the skinned muskrat carcasses sell for 40 to 50 cents. They are listed on the menus hereabouts as "marsh rabbits."

"Man, they're good eating," exclaimed Insley. "Good as black duck. You can fry 'em or pot 'em—just like chicken."

White Hall Woman To Observe 80th Birthday Thursday

White Hall—Mrs. Lulu Bradshaw, who has been seriously ill at her home here after suffering a stroke, will observe her 80th birthday anniversary on Feb. 16. Her granddaughter, Mrs. Roberta Smith of Bunker Hill, and her daughter, Mrs. Mike Goebels of Divernon, have been here caring for her.

Beryl Overby of Detroit, Mich., accompanied Ray Rhodes to White Hall for several days visit. On Sunday, a family dinner was held at the Overby home in honor of John Overby, who observed his 76th birthday anniversary on Feb. 9.

John Valentine, of Kansas City, Mo., his sister, Mrs. Steve Lasky of Detroit, Mich., and Virginia Lou Hutchens of Carrollton visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Campbell. They were spending the week end with their sister, Mrs. Irwin Hutchens in Carrollton, who observed her birthday anniversary on Saturday. The three are children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Roy Valentine of Kane, and cousins of Mrs. Campbell.

Reheat ready-bought doughnuts before serving and accompany them with hot spiced cider for an evening snack. Or split the doughnuts, sprinkle the halves with cinnamon and sugar, and put under the broiler until lightly browned.



SEAMS FAIR ENOUGH — Happy with her new title of "Miss Midnette" (seamstress to you) of 1950 is Elaine Paudeau, young Paris fashion designer. Her election as seamstress queen coincides with the opening of the Paris spring fashion showings.

White Hall Lions At Celebration In Pittsfield

White Hall—A group of 25 from the local Lions club and their wives attended the 30th anniversary party of the Pittsfield Lions club. Walter C. Fisher, president of Lions International, and his wife of Queens, Ontario, Canada, were guests of honor.

There are eight surviving charter members of the Pittsfield club and special honor was given to them at this meeting.

President Alton P. Seymour of the White Hall club presented one of White Hall's special "pots" to Lion Otto Spiehl, Tailwister of the Pittsfield club, as a memento for their 30th anniversary. A splendid program followed the dinner.

Woman Able to Leave Hospital: Brother Stays

Mrs. Mary Moon, 86 years old, and her brother, R. Y. Gibson, 83, of Waverly, have been patients at Passavant hospital.

Mrs. Moon, who was under medical treatment for several days, was able to leave the hospital Monday and return to her home, 505 East Chambers street.

Mr. Gibson, the victim of an accident at his home two weeks ago, will remain at the hospital for further treatment. His condition is reported to be improving slowly.

Mr. Gibson fell in the bathroom at his home and fractured several ribs. For a time he was threatened by pneumonia.

Teacher Tells of Experiences in English Schools

Ashtand—The regular meeting of the Ashtand Woman's club was held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock in the library club room. The educational committee sponsored the afternoon's program, with Mrs. Roy Monroe as leader.

The speaker for the afternoon was Miss Gladys Gewe of Springfield, who gave an interesting talk on her experiences while an exchange teacher in English. She illustrated her talk with colored films.

Two vocal solos, "Thanks Be to God" and "The Lord Is My Light," were sung by Lester Hager, with Mrs. E. L. Beadies as accompanist. Hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. Don Gainer, Mrs. Lester Edwards, Mrs. Seth Winter, Mrs. Homer Butler, Mrs. Zeta Devlin, Mrs. John Suther, Mrs. Glenn Jones, Mrs. Roy Darr and Mrs. Wm. Dodge.

Frederick Ruyle Expires at Home Near Scottville

Scottville, Ill. — Frederick Louis Ruyle, a well known farmer, died Monday night at 8 o'clock at his home three miles southwest of Scottville.

He was born July 3, 1879, the youngest child of Henry and Emily Hettick Ruyle.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Maude Hinkle Ruyle; one brother, Lee Ruyle of Scottville; one sister, Mrs. Celia Land of near Palmyra; several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Ruyle was an active member and an elder in the Scottville Christian church.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Scottville Christian church, in charge of Rev. Walter Schirmer. Burial will be made in the Hettick cemetery near Scottville. The Neece Funeral Home in Waverly is in charge of arrangements.



ATTEND CANCER CONFERENCE



Hundreds of hours devoted to aiding others were represented at the meeting of the Volunteer Activities committee of the Illinois Division, American Cancer Society, on Feb. 10 in the LaSalle hotel, Chicago. Among those who attended were (left to right) Mrs. Harold Glessner, Decatur; Mrs. James L. Bunch, Jacksonville; Mrs. Roy Ide, Springfield, and Mrs. William Drake, Elkhart.

Meat Loaf Is a Company Dish

By Gaynor Maddox
NEA Staff Writer

If you bake a large juicy meat loaf, using beef, pork and veal and flavor it subtly, you will have a no-worry meat dish for company. At the same time, bake potatoes and corn squash. That's pretty easy, isn't it—and the result will be a bountiful, well-balanced and delicious menu for your guests.

Company Meat Loaf

One and one-quarter pounds ground beef, 1 pound ground pork, 1 pound ground veal, 1 clove garlic, finely chopped, 1 cup chopped green pepper, 1 tablespoon chopped parsley or celery leaves, 1 teaspoon pepper, 1 teaspoon dry mustard, 2½ teaspoons salt, 2 beaten eggs, 1 tablespoon

Rain Turns To Snow Tuesday But Melts Fast

The Jacksonville area, which has gone through the winter thus far with virtually no snowfall, was sprinkled again Tuesday by fuzzy flakes which melted as soon as they plopped to earth.

A few snowflakes appeared about the middle of the morning, followed by a heavier volume.

The temperature remained slightly above freezing most of the day. The past week has been a period of comparatively mild weather, with a series of rains and drizzles contributing more moisture to the earth.

At no time this winter has the mercury dropped below seven degrees. There have been no protracted periods of cold weather, and lakes and ponds have never been frozen hard enough for safe skating. A couple of weeks more of this brand of weather would mark the 1949-50 winter as one of the mildest on record.

Hester Morath Of Perry Dies

Hester Morath of Perry died Tuesday at 2 a. m. at 520 North Clay avenue.

The body was taken to the Gillham Funeral Home and later removed to the Bradbury Funeral Home in Perry. Services will be held at Waverly in charge of arrangements.

Honeymoon Cottage

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Chicago Woman Dies of Injuries At Poplar Bluff

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here Feb. 8 in which her husband, Abraham Block and another Chicagoan, Clement Miller, 50, were killed.

Mrs. Miller remains in a hospital in critical condition.

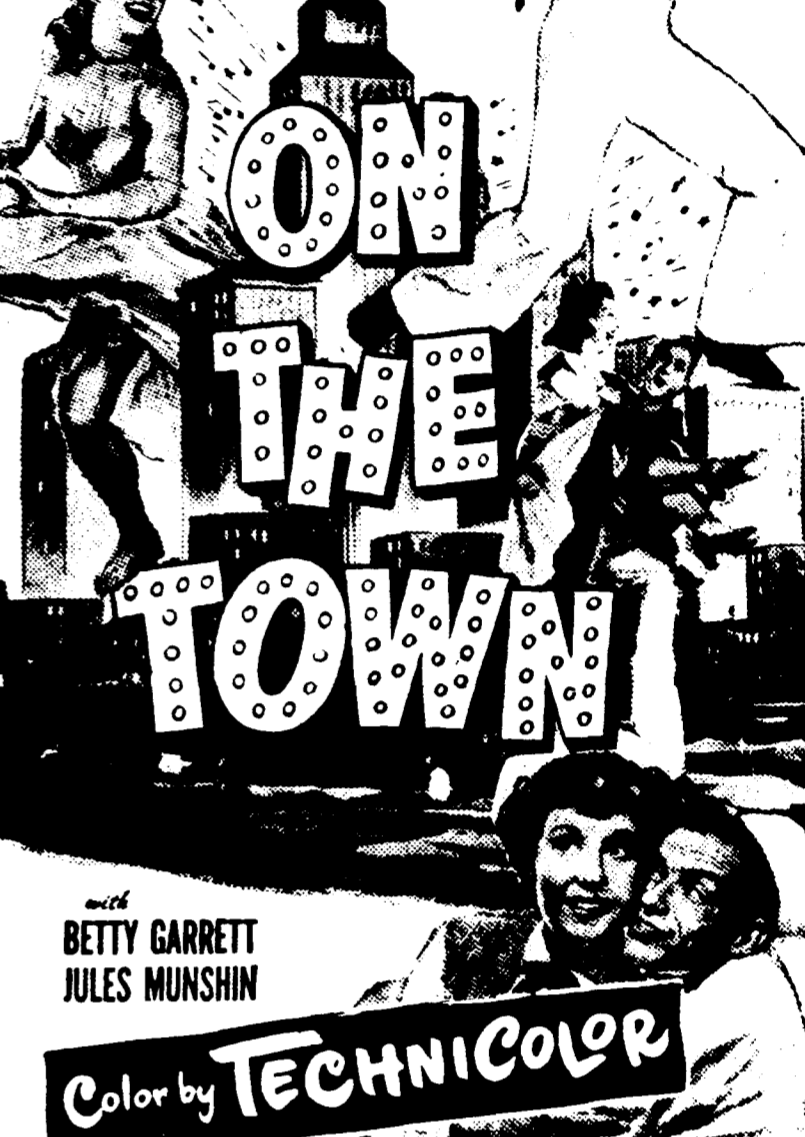
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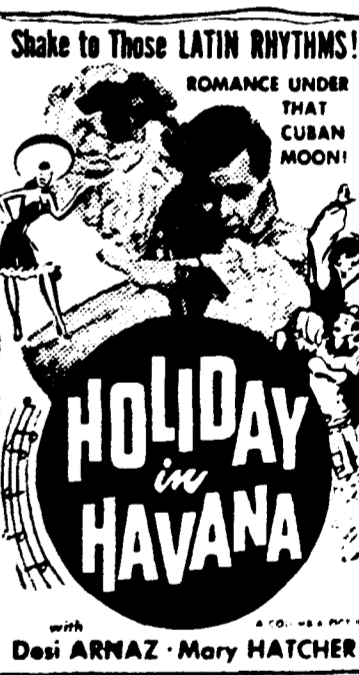


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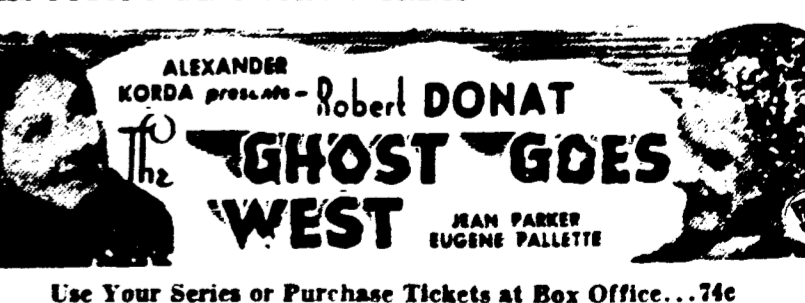
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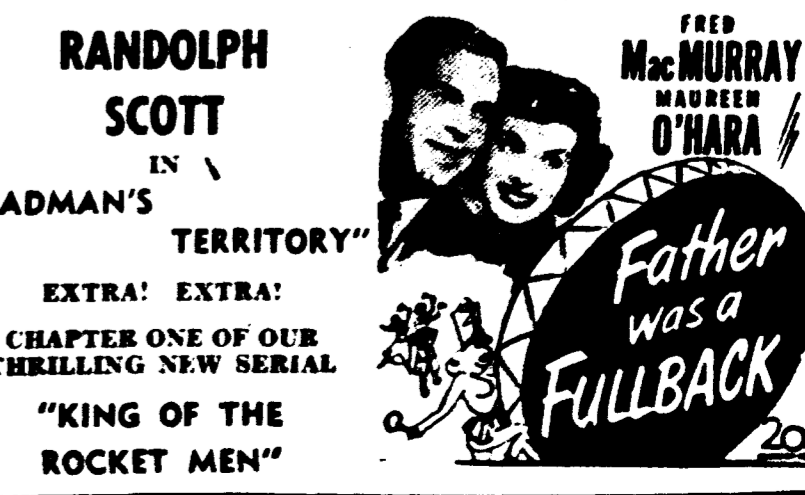
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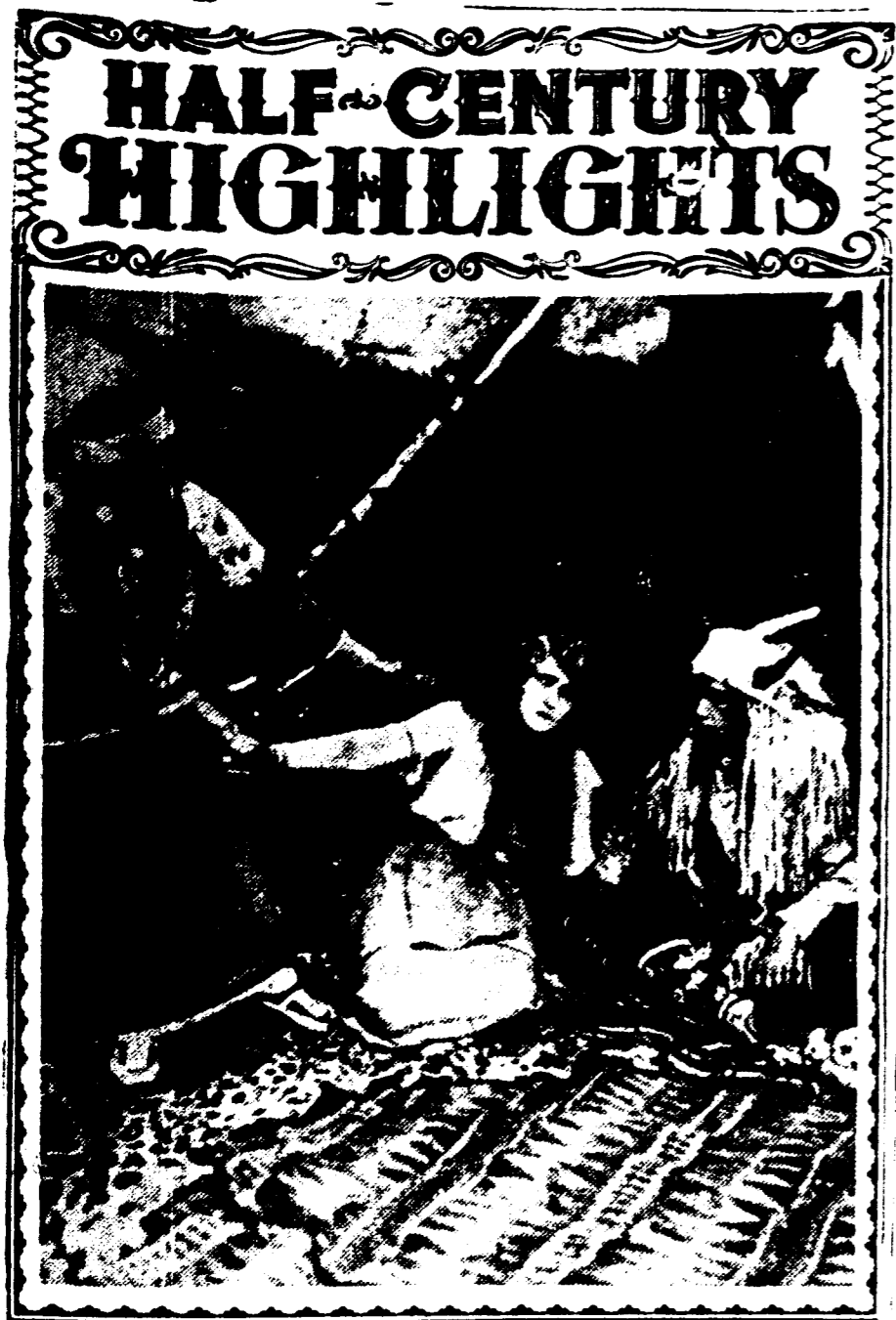
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WHITE HALL

White Hall — Mrs. Sally Hudson who has been seriously ill with pneumonia has recovered sufficiently to enable her daughters, Mrs. Cecil Kuck of Chicago and Mrs. Raymond Sullivan of Wood River to return to their respective homes.

Miss Alma Martin entered Our Saviour's hospital on Sunday for several days of observation and medical tests.

Mrs. Charles Tatman entered Passavant hospital Sunday for major surgery on Monday.

Mrs. William Goben and infant daughter were dismissed from the White Hall hospital Friday to the home of Mr. Goben's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Goben, in White Hall.

The local fire department was called to the Schier home, where fire did a minor amount of damage to the roof.

Miss Irene Livingstone who has been attending Normal University is home for two weeks or longer, due to the closing of the school due to lack of coal.

Ray Rhodes of Grosse Pointe, Mich., has spent several days this past week visiting his mother and other relatives. His mother, Mrs. Annie Rhodes, is being taken care of in the home of Mrs. Irene Barber and is improved in health. Mr. Rhodes returned to his home on Sunday.

Miss Betty Beatty of Alton, granddaughter of Mrs. Mamie Lawson of White Hall, has returned to her nurses' studies at an Alton hospital after having recovered from an attack of measles. While ill she spent the time with Mrs. Lawson here.

Mrs. Perry White has received word of the serious illness of her brother, Clyde Kessie of Bethalto, who has been taken to a hospital in Wood River.

CHANDLERVILLE

Chandlerville—Mr. and Mrs. Ryan Cooper were Jacksonville callers Saturday night.

Clarence Glick of Pleasant Plains visited his mother, Mrs. Dora Glick, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Le Duc of

New Scout Troop At Ashland Gets Tenderfoot Cards

Ashland — Investiture ceremonies for the Ashland Boy Scouts were conducted Tuesday night at the Legion hall. The Boy Scouts of Troop 125 were presented their Tenderfoot cards and badges.

E. Y. Johnson was master of ceremonies. D. M. McDermott, district field executive for the Black Hawk district, gave a short talk explaining parts of the ceremony and scouting to the scouts and the parents present.

Scouts receiving their cards and badges from their scoutmaster, Clyde Shoemaker were: Harry Burch, Herb Pierce, Howard Senter, Jim Bergschneider, Dean Harding, Robert Turner, Marcus Whisnant, Howard and Harold Hinds, Darrell Tinsley, Eldon Buhl and Jerry Matthy.

Celebrates 82nd Birthday
The eighty-second birthday of Mrs. Annie C. Bast was celebrated Monday with a dinner being held in her honor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lela Isenhower. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. East of Petersburg spent the afternoon with his mother.

The Prentice and Yatesville Community club will sponsor a dance at the local high school on Wednesday night, Feb. 15th. The proceeds taken will go to the March of Dimes.

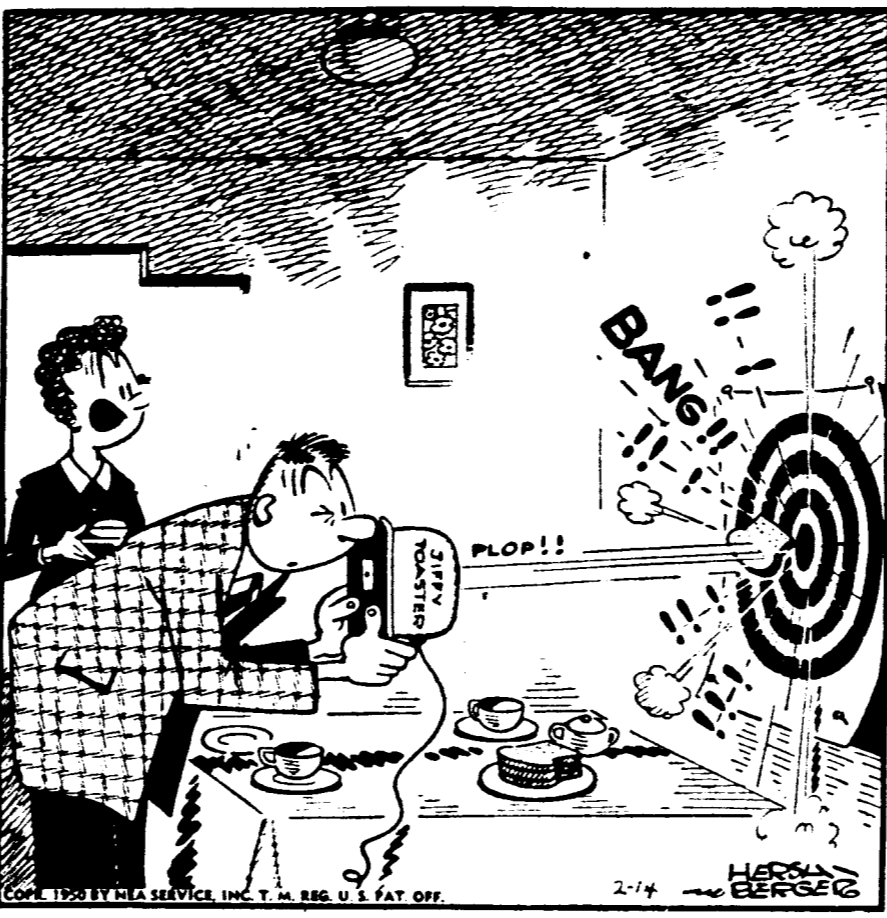
Society Has Program
The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met Wednesday afternoon at the church. The program was given by Mrs. Roy Monroe, whose theme was "The World Must Learn to Read." Mrs. John Beggs acted as leader of the worship service.

Hostesses for the social hour were: Mrs. E. R. Clemons, Mrs. Mary Anderson, Mrs. Charles Aggett and Mrs. S. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daniels and son, Ora, and Mrs. Roscoe Shortridge of Philadelphia and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smedley of this city attended the funeral of Mrs. Clyde Gill of Pekin Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Gill was formerly Vada Daniels and was a sister of Charles Daniels.

Funny Business

By Hershberger



James R. Smith, Lewis, Janvin, Post 373, at 7 p.m. Feb. 22 at the Hall, Crain, Cunningham and Robertson.

Attorney Richard W. Husted, son of Mrs. Husted and the late Lee Husted of Jacksonville, who were formerly Roodhouse residents, has established a law office in the Roodhouse Bank Building.

Merle E. Schaaf of Princeville, state commander of the American Legion, will be guest speaker at the 19th annual Washington's birthday commanders banquet at Roodhouse.

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Virginia—Plans for a home talent play to be presented here sometime in March will be discussed Wednesday night when the American Legion post holds a regular meeting, beginning at 8 p.m.

Two Foxes Killed

The foxes of this area evidently disliked Sunday's cold mist. Although a good crowd of hunters turned out for the season's final fox and wolf drive, only two of the former were bagged during the day.

The \$4 bounty money was turned into the March of Dimes fund.

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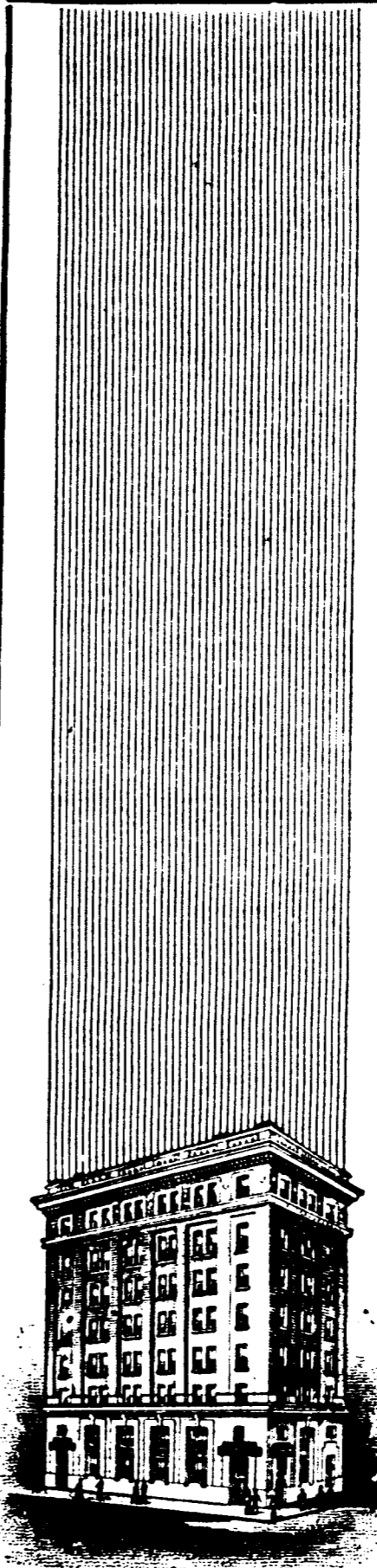
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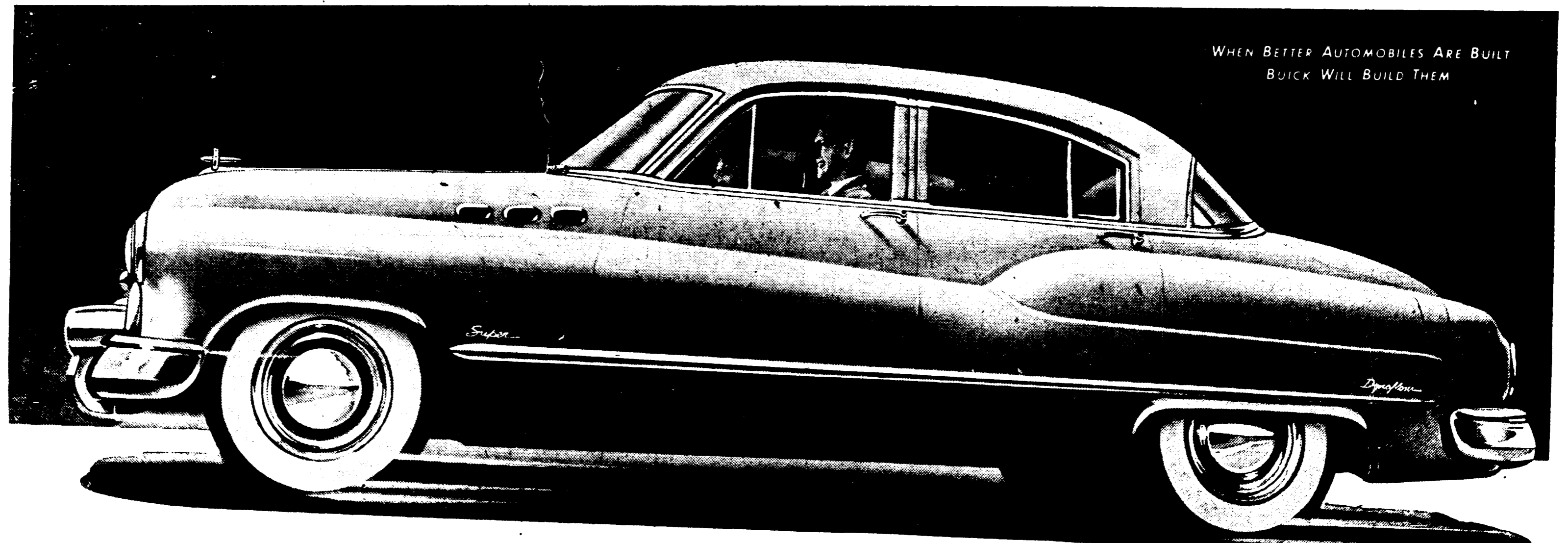
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White Hall PTA To Hold Annual Roundup Feb. 18

White Hall—The second annual P. T. A. Round-up is set for Saturday, Feb. 18. Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock in the high school gymnasium, with music by Bowen's orchestra.

St. Joseph
IS ASPIRIN AT ITS BEST

Door prizes will be awarded and are now on display in the windows of the Griswold cafe.

Fellows are urged to wear blue jeans and flannel shirts, and the girls blouses, low heels and swing skirts. Lunch will be served during the evening. The public is invited to attend.

The American Legion Auxiliary Post No. 70 of White Hall met at the Griswold Annex, with President Gladys Sadler presiding. The next meeting will be March 10, with a potluck supper at 6:30 and buncos following the supper.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture says insects are the greatest single cause of forest destruction.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY



MR. AND MRS. FRANK WORRALL

On the eve of their 47th wedding anniversary, which occurred Feb. 10, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Worrall of rural route one, Murrayville, were feted at a dinner at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hart, and daughters, 302 North Church street.

The table was attractively decorated in keeping with the occasion and featured as a centerpiece a lovely wedding cake. Mr. and Mrs. Worrall were presented with a gift.

Guests present besides the honored couple were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walsh, Alice Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Worrall, Donald, Betty, Shirley and Harold Wayne, all of Murrayville; Mr. and Mrs. George R. Wilson, Joe and Albert, and Earl Vanstone, all of Lynnville; Charles Robinson, Barbara Stahr, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hart and Marjorie and Mary of Jacksonville.

The Worralls were married in Jacksonville on Feb. 10, 1903. They have spent their entire life in the Murrayville community, where Mr. Worrall is engaged in farming.

Mrs. Worrall is the former Sarah Fearnheyough of Lynnville.

Vets Can Secure Analysis to Make Sure of Refunds

Illinois veterans dissatisfied with the amount received in their National Service Life Insurance dividend checks can secure an analysis

of their records through the offices of the Illinois Veterans Commission. Although the payments to veterans has scarcely begun, the central office of the IVC at Springfield has already received a number of inquiries from veterans throughout the state who feel that their refunds have been inadequate.

In the instances where it has been possible to receive an immediate analysis, it has been found that the veterans were unaware of a number of factors influencing the payment of dividends. For instance, those veterans who participated in the GI Bill of Rights who received overpayments of subsistence, did not know that such overpayments were deducted.

Service officers of the IVC have been instructed to follow a procedure already established to file an inquiry regarding such disputed claims. In Morgan county veterans can receive assistance at the IVC office located at 6-7 Morrison Block in Jacksonville.

MORE IDLE

Harrisburg, Ill., Feb. 14.—(P)—The number of Progressive mine workers idle in Southern Illinois swelled today to nearly 600.

At Springfield PMW President John Marchiano said they quit "because of use of the Taft-Hartley law in the UMW dispute."

The PMW is an independent rival of the United Mine Workers.

Members of the PMW union refused to work today at Blue Bird mine No. 7 and at Wasson mine near here. PMW members at Shara No. 7 were idle a second day.

Jr. Club Endorses Miss Sieber as District Candidate

The unanimous endorsement of Miss Charlotte Sieber as president of the 20th District, Illinois Federation of Women's clubs, was voted by the Jacksonville Junior Woman's club in a meeting held at the Dunlap hotel.

The speaker at the meeting was Major Henri Servais, who told of some of his experiences and also how he acquired his huge St. Bernard dog, Pierre.

During the business session, plans were tentatively made for a white elephant sale, the proceeds of which will be donated to the Morgan County Junior Deputy Sheriff's league. A husband's night was planned for April.

A committee comprised of Elaine Bourn, Anna Mae Roach, Rosalie Hofmann, Ruth Ranson and Betty Fitzpatrick, was appointed to nominate officers for the coming year.

Guests at the meeting were Thelma Denney, Marietta Vasconcellos and Joyce Christison. Hostesses were Hazel Stice, Betty Fitzpatrick, Betty Pennell, Marjorie Smith and Ruth Pennell.

BLAST UNSOLVED

Helsinki, Finland, Feb. 14.—(P)—Police said they had no explanation of an explosion early today that rocked the Parliament building where a Finnish president is to be elected tomorrow.

The officers said the explosion, on the staircase leading to the building's entrance, caused no serious damage inside the structure, in which 300 electors today presented their credentials, prior to the presidential balloting tomorrow.

The electors are virtually certain to re-elect President Juho Paasikivi, 85-year-old anti-Communist statesman. Of the 300 electors chosen in the January general election, 172 are pledged to support him.

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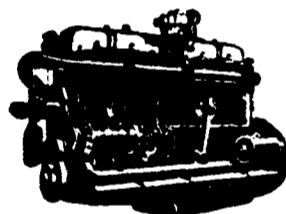
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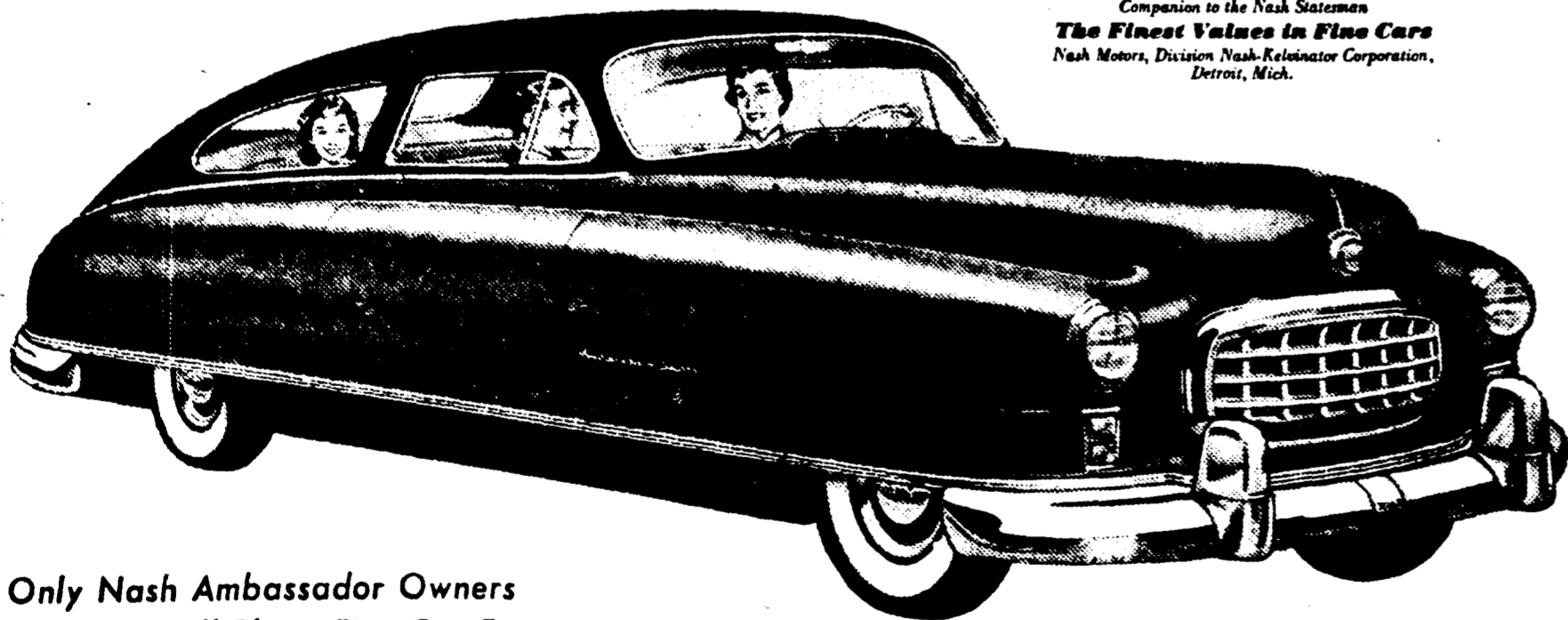
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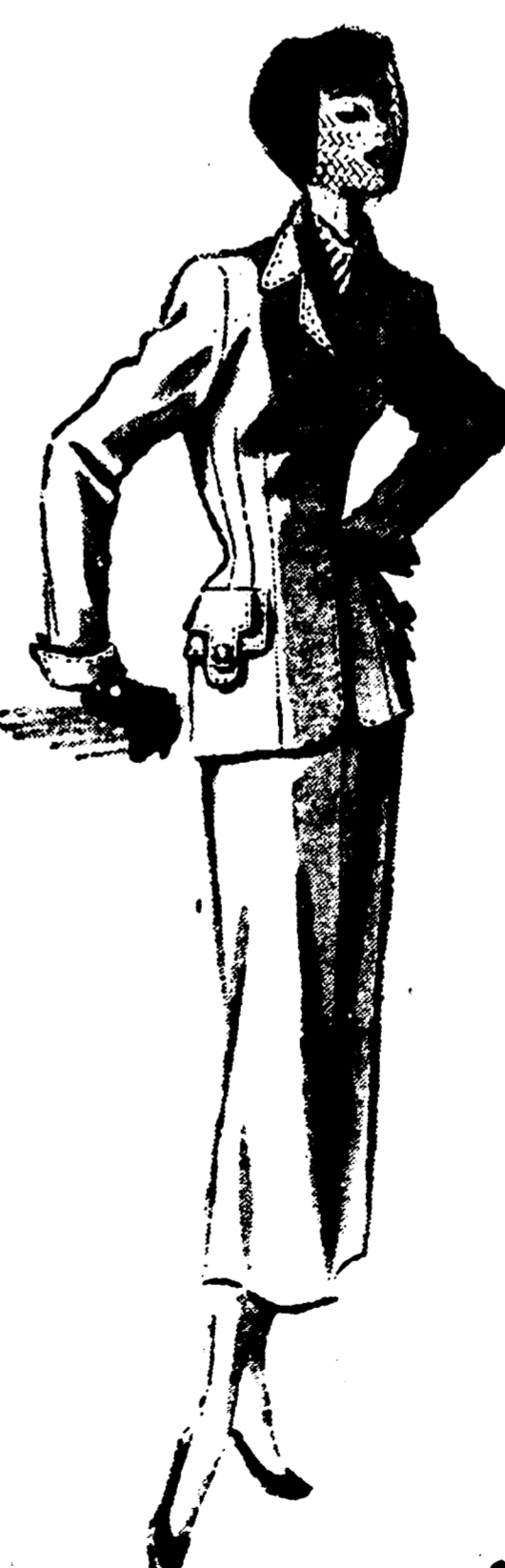
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During the business session, the association voted to donate \$10 to the March of Dimes. Mrs. Paul B. Smith, district director of the P.T.A., told the group some interesting facts about how it was founded. She also spoke on "What the P.T.A. can do for the community" and stressed members using the national Parent-Teacher magazine.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Onken and daughter, Cynthia Beth, returned to their home in Milwaukee, Wis., Monday after spending the weekend at the home of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Miller and Mrs. Lawrence Wegehoff attended the funeral of George Cooper in Manchester Monday.

Miss Constance Nickel returned to Illinois Wesleyan College at Bloomington after spending her mid-term vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nickel.

ISRAEL GOVERNMENT SITE IS OLD ROMAN CAMP

Jerusalem — (AP) — Israel has chosen for its seat of government the Jerusalem hill on which Roman soldiers camped after their triumph over the Jews and the destruction of their Second Temple almost 2,000 years ago.

Recent archeological excavations on the site designed by Jewish authorities and architects as future location of all Government offices, the President's house, Hebrew Parliament and the Zionist Congress Hall, tell a story of its historic past.

Today's Crossword Puzzle

Dramatic Star

HORIZONTAL

1, 8 Depicted radio actress, reply

12 Click beetle

14 "Lily Maid of Astoria"

15 Cleopatra's snake

16 Division of the calyx

18 Permit

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21 Gibbon

22 Promontory

23 International language

24 Half-em

25 Stingray

27 Volcano in Sicily

30 Any

31 Morindin dye

32 Negative reply

33 Pronoun

34 War machine

37 Followers

39 Whirlwind

40 Parent

41 Ancient Irish capital

43 Genus of grasses

46 Medical pellet

48 Upper limb

50 Flat boat

52 Meadow

53 Peruser

55 Strong vegetables

57 Greater in stature

58 Bounds

VERTICAL

1 Edible seed

2 Otherwise

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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28 Appellation

29 Malt beverages

35 Regular

36 New Zealand parrot

37 Little demon

38 Clothing-maker

41 Little pastry

42 Scope

43 Young salmon

44 Correlative of either

45 Since

47 Church fast season

48 Scottish girl

50 Honey-maker

51 Conjunction

54 Deciliter (ab.)

56 Medical suffix

Versailles Group Plans To Sponsor Old Style Supper

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Class members present were Amy Martin, Olive Sellers, Opal Tolbert, Lois Clark, Olive Pool, Lena Hume, Neva Davis, Essie Adams, Mahala Kleinlein, Ethel Vandeventer, Hallie Logsdon, Florence Mitchell, Faye Stone, Ella Smith, Grace Bradbury and Bertha Pool.

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Meredosia Party For 11 Year Old

Meredosia—Mrs. Loretta Van Deventer entertained 15 young people at her home Sunday afternoon, in honor of the 11th birthday of her daughter, Rebecca Gail.

Games were played, with prizes being awarded to several of the children. Party favors were distributed, after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Flossie Lippert of Concord spent Friday and Saturday here, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Alhorn. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Louise Hillitz, who will remain for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lefever spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Nita Carpenter, the former's mother, who is ill at the Valley Nursing Home at Beardstown.

Mrs. Frank Stullers, Mrs. Edward Hyatt, Jr., and son, Reinald, attended the funeral of Mrs. Clarence Garrison in Rushville on Saturday. Mrs. Garrison was the mother of Neil Garrison, who resided here for several years.

Mrs. Kermit Muntman and Mrs. Elton Hinners were Springfield visitors on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lawson and children of Winchester were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lefever on Monday.

Elton Hinners and son, Herbert, and Edward Kunzeman, Jr., were business callers in East St. Louis on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stullers visited with Frank Dalton and family in Ashland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Steinberg left Sunday for a vacation of several weeks in Florida. Mrs. Minnie Steinberg accompanied them as far as Lockport, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Leta Weirson.

A number of ladies who are interested in reorganizing the American Legion Auxiliary held a meeting on Tuesday evening at the Legion cabin. Another meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 7, for the purpose of reorganization. All those wishing to become members are urged to attend.

BEARDSTOWN MEETING ON EXPLORER SCOUTS

Beardstown — Senior Scouts and young men 14 years or older, interested in the Explorer Scouting program, are invited to attend the Senior Scout meeting at the Beardstown high school, February 16th, at 7:30.

D. M. McDermott, district scout executive of the Abraham Lincoln council, will explain the program and show films on its operation.

At this time, also, there will be a discussion of the National Jamboree to be held at Valley Forge.

Scouts and their parents interested in taking part are urged to attend.

NORTH UNION CLUB TO MEET

The regular meeting of the North Union community club will be held at the school Friday at 7:30 p.m. The refreshments committee composed of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Odaffer; the program group, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roegge and Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Streeter.

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**Final Rites Held
For Mrs. Robinson
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Final rites for Mrs. Carl E. Robinson, one of this city's most highly-esteemed residents, were held Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at State Street Presbyterian church.

Rev. Lewis N. Raymond, pastor, and Rev. W. H. Marbach of Pontiac, Mich., a former pastor of the church officiated.

Caring for the numerous floral tributes were Mrs. John K. Purry, Miss Beilby Leach, Miss Violet Davis, Mrs. H. Gary Hudson, Miss June Gibson, Mrs. Gail Ranson, Mrs. Tilman Stout, Mrs. H. E. Weaver, Mrs. Robert DuBois, Mrs. M. C. Stocker, Miss Beatrice Robertson, Mrs. Claude Gustine, Mrs. Ralph Hutchison, Mrs. Harry Hammett, Miss Betty Lambert and Mrs. George Goebel.

The casket bearers were Claude Gustine, Gail Ranson, Orville Foreman, John H. Strain, A. J. Harding, H. Gary Hudson, Ralph Withee and George F. Goebel.

Members of the Eastern Star, the Happy Hour class of State Street Presbyterian church and the Kiwanis club attended in a body.

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PATTERSON

Patterson — In the recent local pollio drive which was conducted through the school, a total of \$48.33 was collected. This amount included the \$13 which was collected at the Lovelace community meeting two weeks ago.

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors will be held Thursday evening, Feb. 16.

Howard Williamson of Chicago is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Williamson.

Mrs. Edith Owdom of Springfield returned home Wednesday after visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Barnett and family and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peebles of New York City came the first of the week for a visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Patterson.

Mrs. Verna Doyle has entered Furman Des Loge hospital in St. Louis for treatment.

Mrs. Lora Fry has returned to her home here after assisting in the care of her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Smith, while at her home. She is now a patient at Our Saviour's hospital in Jacksonville. Her condition remains about the same.

Miss Maude Coker, of White Hall has been visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lizzie Coker, this week.

Mrs. Mary Hanlin of White Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mayberry of Oakdale and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Arnold of Roxana spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tobie Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bowman were Tuesday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hicks and daughter, Meleta.

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and daughter and Mrs. Ann Smith, all of Pittsfield, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilkinson of Glasgow were afternoon callers.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Goacher at the Smith Orchard has been named Edith Mae. Mrs. Paul Dawdy and Mrs. Marie Dawdy were Jacksonville shoppers Wednesday.

Bobbie Cash, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cash of Drake, has been ill and unable to attend school this week.

The Patterson Community club will meet Friday evening, Feb. 10. A program will follow the potluck supper, which will be served at 7:30. Every one should bring his own table service.

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**White Hall Couple
Mark Anniversary
At Special Events**

White Hall—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leander Nash, married 41 years on Feb. 14, were honored with a dinner and supper party at their home here on Feb. 12, by a group of friends.



MR. AND MRS. EDWARD L. NASH

Tuesday night, their daughters, Mrs. Norman Jones of White Hall and Mrs. Maurice Perdue of Winchester will entertain with a dinner at the home of their parents, with their families present.

Mrs. Nash is the former Elsie Mae Phillips. The couple was married Feb. 14, 1909, by Rev. William M. Haley at the home of the bride.

They have four children, Keith M. and Kenneth E. Nash, both serving in the U. S. Navy, Mrs. Maurice Perdue of Winchester, and Mrs. Norman Jones of White Hall. The couple has six grandchildren.

CZECH TRIAL
Prague, Czechoslovakia, Feb. 14—(P)—Twenty-six more Czechs, alleged members of a large anti-government ring in Moravia, went on trial today on charges of plotting to overthrow the country's Communist-ruled regime.

Three leaders of the group already have been sentenced to death and 23 other members were given prison sentences on Saturday.

**Mrs. Cora Pope
Buried at Kane**

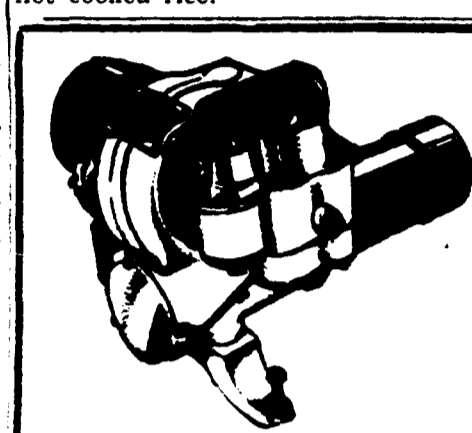
Jerseyville—Funeral services for Mrs. Cora Lee Pope, wife of A. P. Pope of Kane, were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Kane Baptist church. The Reverend Mason Smith, pastor of the church and the Reverend L. E. Mustain of Griggsville officiated. Interment was in the Kane cemetery.

She was the daughter of the late William L. and Emeline Smith Burnett, and was born April 17, 1872. She died at the Watson Nursing home in Jerseyville, Feb. 10, at 4:55 p. m. at the age of 77 years 9 months and 23 days.

She is survived by her husband, A. P. Pope; two sons, William O. Pope of University City, Mo., and Mrs. Louis B. Pope of Champaign and three grandchildren.

Mrs. Pope was one of the oldest members of the Kane Baptist church. She had been a member of the church for the past 63 years.

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Carrollton—Funeral services for Robert Edmiston of Haypress were held Tuesday, Feb. 14 at 3 p. m. in the Mehl Funeral Home. The services were conducted by the Rev. Dick Monroe of White Hall.

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Mr. Edmiston died Monday morning at 1:45 o'clock in the Springfield Memorial hospital and was brought to the Mehl Funeral Home here. He was born in Nebraska Aug. 22, 1880. His wife, Nancy McDonald preceded him in death five years ago.

He is survived by two sons, Archie and Robert Edmiston, both of Walgreenville; three daughters, Mrs. Margaret Spencer of St. Louis, Mrs. Elizabeth Lovelace of Carlinville and Mrs. Sarah Armstrong of Loomis.

Funeral of W. H. Cross
Funeral services for William H. Cross, formerly of this city, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Christy Valentine in Texarkana, Ark., Wednesday, were held Friday at 3 p. m. in the local Baptist church. The Rev. Laurel Grigg conducted the service and burial was in the city cemetery.

Music for the service was sung by Mrs. Anna Hubbard, Miss Haydie Dowdall, Mrs. G. K. Hutchens and Mrs. Richard Giller with Miss Nina Ford as organist.

The pallbearers were E. J. Powell, Keith Sturman, J. F. Hubbard, Harry Simonds, Harry Mungall, H. Giberson and Richard Giller. The services were under the auspices of Carrollton Lodge No. 50, A.F. & A.M.

Sentenced to Six Months at Farm

A sentence of six months at the Illinois State Farm was imposed on Leonard Thompson, 41 year old Jacksonville man, in county court Tuesday morning. Thompson had entered a plea of guilty Feb. 1 to driving an automobile while under the influence of liquor, and asked for probation.

State's Attorney Albert Hall said this was the defendant's second offense on a similar charge. In June of 1948 Thompson was fined and admitted to probation on a drunken driving charge.

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Jesse Henry, 78, Dies at Hospital Tuesday Morning

Jesse Henry, a retired farmer, passed away Tuesday morning at a local hospital, following a lingering illness.

A lifelong resident of the Woodson community, Mr. Henry was born south of Woodson on Jan. 11, 1872. He was the only child of the late W. D. and Mollie Vezie Henry.

In October of 1893, he was united in marriage with Louise Bennett, who died in September, 1924. Two daughters, Gladys Louise and Martha Marie, also preceded him in death.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Amos McCurley of this city; one son, Jesse Henry of Versailles; six grandchildren, William, Amos, Jr., Jack and Mary Jane McCurley, all of this city, Cyril McCurley of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Louise Sneed of Muskegon, Mich., and nine great-grandchildren.

Mr. Henry was a member of the Woodson Christian church. The body is at the Reynolds Mortuary, where the family will receive friends Wednesday from 7 to 9 p. m. Services will be held there Thursday at 2 p. m., with burial in Roberts cemetery south of Woodson. Rev. A. D. Hermann of the Woodson Christian church will officiate.

ARENZVILLE JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

The February meeting of the Arenzville Junior Woman's club will be held Friday at 7:45 p. m. at the American Legion home in Arenzville. The film, "Illinois Playgrounds," will be shown. Members of the Ashland Junior Woman's club will be guests.

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BIRTHS
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Los Angeles, Calif., are parents of a daughter, weight nine and one-half pounds, born February 6. The mother was formerly Miss Dorothy Long. Mr. Smith is the son of Mrs. Edgar Brown, 134 Richards street.

DIVORCE TO HUSBAND
Dean R. Gross has been granted a divorce from Wilma S. Gross in circuit court on grounds of desertion.

The Asbury W.S.C.S., pot-luck dinner has been postponed until Thursday, Feb. 23, at the home of Mrs. Earl Hem-brough.

Greene Co. Soil Conservation Dist. To Hold Meeting

White Hall—The annual meeting of the Greene County Soil Conservation district will be held in White Hall on Thursday, Feb. 23, with a dinner served in the First Christian church at 6:45 p. m.

The program will include the annual report of the year's business by the district board, and the election of three board members to replace the three whose terms expire at this time.

Dr. W. L. Burlison, for many years head of the department of agronomy of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois will be guest speaker. His travels up and down the state and his responsibilities of adapting the work of the agronomy department to the needs and problems of Illinois agriculture, especially fit him particularly well to discuss the place of soil conservation in Illinois agriculture.

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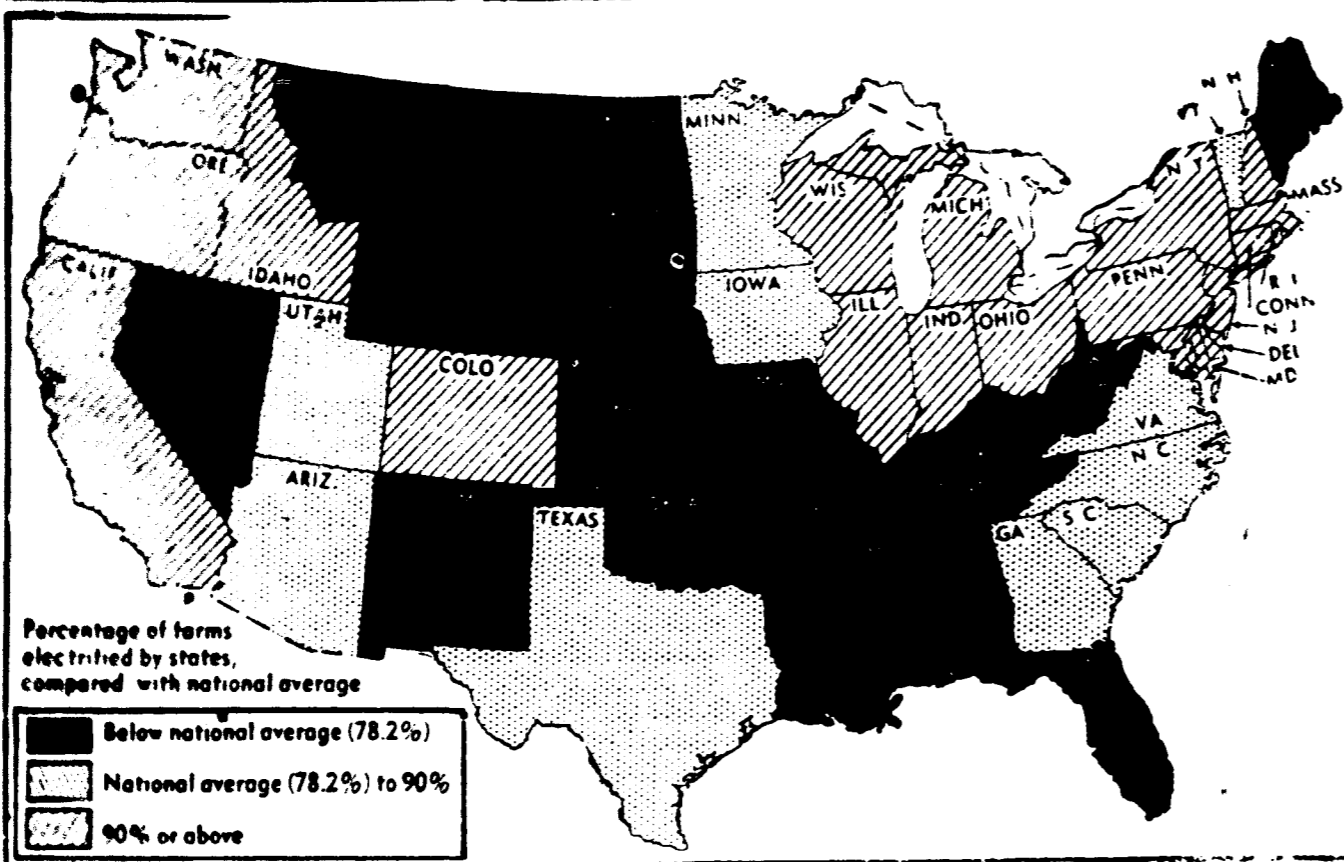
White Hall—Henry I. Cohn, Jr., of White Hall, has been appointed chairman of the 1950 fund drive of the American Red Cross. The general "kick-off" will be March 1, with a goal for the county being set at \$4,000.

W. J. Ritchey announced the final drive toward the March of Dimes was a little over the \$2,000 mark. This is an advance of around \$800 over last year's contribution.

The Methodist Men's League will be host to the Laramie League of the First Christian church on Thursday night, Feb. 16. A supper will be served by the ladies of the church.

Guest speaker will be Dr. W. T. Sweeney, whose topic will be "Health and Hospitalization." Other numbers also included on the program.

The dinner is open to the public. Tickets can be secured from members of the League.



HOW U. S. FARMS ARE ELECTRIFIED—The map above, based on data from the Rural Electrification Administration, shows by states the percentage of electrified farms as compared with the national average. The REA estimates that 78.2 per cent of the nation's farms are electrified. Nineteen states are above the national average and 19 are below it in electrification.

Markets at a Glance

New York Feb. 14—P. Stocks—Lower: TV issues under.

Bonds—Lower: rail decline.

Cotton—Irregular: trade buying profit taking.

CHICAGO.

Wheat—Steady to strong: export business prospect.

Corn—Steady to firm: followed action of wheat.

Oats—Steady to firm: advanced with other grains.

Soybeans—Steady to strong: advanced on export prospects.

Hogs—Active and strong to 30 cents higher to \$18.35.

Cattle—Steady to 50 cents lower: choice absent.

In tanning quality use unsalted fat to rub on the skin. Salt is likely to make the skin drier.

New York Stock Market

New York, Feb. 14—(AP)—Radio-television stocks made a strong comeback today after a mid-morning beating.

The balance of the market, also flattened during the morning, dug in for a stand but remained in minus territory.

TV issues started the day with gains running to an extreme of more than two points. A short but intense profit taking drive wiped out the gains and sent some down as much as 2 points or so.

Heavy trading accompanied these price gyrations. For the third time this month volume passed the

2,000,000-share mark.

Steels and autos were among the hardest hit groups and their rally was not so successful as the TV division.

Railway issues tended lower in the bond market.

East St. Louis Livestock

National Stockyards, Ill., Feb. 14.—(P)—USDA—Hogs: 11,000; active, steady to strong with Monday's average; bulk good and choice 180-230; lbs 17.75-18.25; top 18.25; freely; 240-270 lbs 16.75-17.75; few 17.85; 270-300 lbs 16.25-17.50; 140-170 lbs 16.25-18; 100-130 lb pigs 13.25-13.75; mostly 13.50 up; good and choice sows 40-120 lbs 14.75-15.50; heavier sows 12.75-14.50; stags mostly 9.00-11.00.

Cattle: 3,000; calves 900; good cows making up about 20 per cent of receipts; few steers opening steady;

medium to low good kinds around 23.00-25.50; heifers and mixed yearlings active, 25 to 50 higher; bulls 50 higher; vealers 1.00 higher; medium and good heifers and mixed yearlings 23.00-26.25; common and low medium 18.00-22.00; good cows 18.00-50; few 19.00; common and medium cows 16.50-17.50; canners and cutters 13.50-16.00; medium and good cows 19.50-21.00; cutter and common bulls 16.50-18.00; good and choice vealers 28.00-35.00; common and medium 19.00-27.00.

Sheep: 800; receipts mostly trucked in woolled lambs; few full clipped; trading active; slaughter lambs fully 50 higher; most good and choice woolled lambs 100 lbs down 26.50-27 to all interests; low good and choice 109 lbs with mixed woolled and fall shorn pelts 26.25; other classes, scarce.

ADVERTISE—IT PAYS

Radio Program

NETWORK PROGRAMS

Time is eastern standard. For central standard subtract one hour, for mountain standard, subtract two hours. Some local stations change hour of relay to fit local schedules. Last-minute program changes cannot be included.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

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AMERICAN TREAT—Enjoying their first ice cream cone on their arrival in Akron, O., from China are Wing Chee, 8, and his mother, Wong Shee Lee, 54. For the first time, Wing Chee met his father, who left China 10 years ago.

Lost and Found

LOST—Large terrier. Answers to name "Red." Phone 2004. Reward 2-15-3-AM

LOST—Glasses, brown plastic, for rimmed. Grace Yoshioka, Main Hall MacMurray College. 2-14-3-AM

LOST—Student's brown leather billfold; full identification within. Please call 629-X. 2-14-3-AM

LOST—Ladies black leather purse. Wednesday morning on West Beecher. Identification within. Reward. Phone 1853W. 2-11-3-PM

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

ESTATE OF HARRISON F. EACRETT, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, April 3rd, 1950, is the claim date in the estate of Harrison F. Eacrett, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Glenna S. Eacrett, Executor, Bellatti, Arnold & Fay, Attorneys.

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL

BUILDINGS, IMPROVEMENTS AND SITES IN TOWNSHIP 16-9

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Trustees will, on March 3, 1950, at the hour of 11:00 o'clock A. M., at the Brush College School Site, offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest and best bidder or bidders the following described property:

The site of the school formerly known as BRUSH COLLEGE described as follows: Beginning 867 chains East of the South-west corner of the North West corner of Section 4, in Township 16 North, Range 10 West of the Third Principal Meridian, thence North 2 chains, thence East 2.50 chains, thence South 2 chains to the point of beginning, situated in Morgan County, Illinois; together with the schoolhouse, outbuildings and improvements thereon.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash in hand on day of sale. But cashiers of buildings and improvements sold separately from real estate will be given ninety (90) days within which to remove the same. Dated this 7th day of February, A. D. 1950.

Cov M. Stice, Walter H. Long, W. W. Daniels, Trustees of Schools of Township 16 North, Range 10 West of the Third Principal Meridian, in Morgan County, Illinois.

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CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Chicago, Feb. 14—(P)—Livestock trading was mixed today on receipts which were somewhat curtailed by bad weather throughout the marketing area. Hogs were strong to 50 cents higher, cattle steady to 50 cents lower, and sheep fully steady to firm.

Most good and choice butcher hogs fetched \$15.75 to \$18.25 and a top of \$18.35, highest in more than three months. Sows made \$13.50 to \$15.75. Clearance was completed early.

A load of good to choice steers managed \$31.50, two loads grading high-good were \$30.00, and most medium and good took \$22.75 to \$28.00. Medium and good heifers ranged from \$22.50 to \$26.25. Beef cows topped at \$20.00, sausage bulls practically at \$22.00, and vealers at \$32.00.

Choice Nebraska lambs topped at \$26.75 for one load, most woolled kinds taking \$25.00 to \$26.40. Ewes were priced from \$14.00 downward. Estimated receipts on sale included 7,000 hogs, 6,500 cattle, 300 calves and 2,000 sheep.

WHEAT, SOYBEANS MARK UP GAINS

Chicago, Feb. 14—(P)—Wheat and soybeans marked up gains of around 2 cents in some deliveries at today's Board of Trade session. Prospects of export business was the controlling factor in the advance.

Mexico, Great Britain and Holland were said to be in the market for wheat and flour. Denmark was allotted \$1,500,000 under the Marshall Plan for purchase of soybeans. Ireland purchased some corn over the weekend.

Dated this 10th, Feb. 1950

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HOUSE TRAILER, 21 foot model, aluminum exterior, electric refrigerator, gas range, forced air oil heat, full sized Hollywood type bed. Also studio lounge and beautiful kitchenette. Many other fine features and you can save \$500.00 on this one. Glenn Skinner, Phone 1288-Y, 2-11-11-H

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ANNOUNCEMENT
I am pleased to announce the following persons are "licensed salesmen" associated with me:
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GOOD OLIVER 70 tractor, complete with plow, cultivators, mower, corn-planter combine, disc, drill, harrow, rotary hoe. Raymond Owens, Concord. 2-9-61-N

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TWO ANGUS yearling heifers, coming fresh. Herman A. Wilson, Route 1, 3 mile west of Arenzville, Illinois. 2-11-61-P

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ANNOUNCING our first Duroc bred sow sale Monday afternoon, Feb. 20 at our farm, 5 miles east Carrollton. Featuring top gilts, bred to "Superb" our new outstanding heard boar. George Elliott. 1-17-10-M-P

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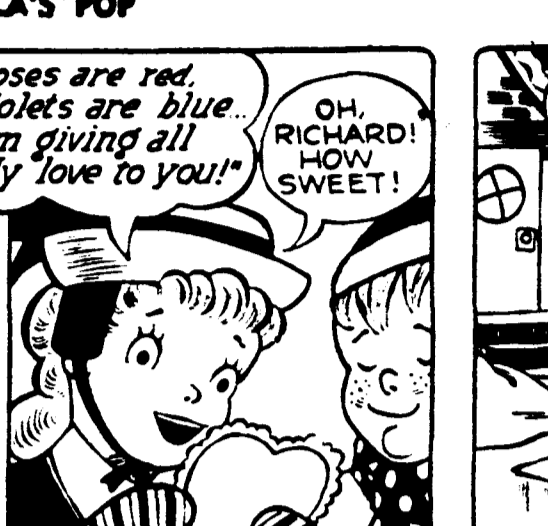
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End of a Chapter

By Edwin Rutt
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THE STORY: Alice Pine, secretary to Muriel Hallock, who writes popular stories under the name of "Jo Fairgrave," suspects Muriel's husband Brent of having cruelly whipped her. His four-year-old adopted son, although Alice cannot forgive him, she feels strange to him. One night Brent takes her in his arms. Muriel has witnessed the scene, but does not seem to be disturbed by it. Although Alice feels that in some way she has been disloyal, later Brent leaves Grovesboro Point, Conn., where the Hallocks live to take an advertising job in Providence. Alice is heartily disappointed when he fails to return the first week-end. The next week Muriel tells Alice her New York agent has phoned and something Muriel does not say what is brewing in a literary way. Muriel will go to the city the next Saturday. During the conversation Muriel says Alice is "delicately uncomplicated." "In other words," Alice replies, "stupid."

lay propped up against three pillows. "There!" Alice smoothed the covers. "This is just where you belong. I knew you'd fold if you kept it up. And it's horrid of Pat Boyland to butt in just now."

"Pat?" Muriel murmured, happily and sleepily. "He's just a little old gold mine. Alice dear."

Alice sniffed. "He can be a big old gold mine on Saturday, for all of me. But you forget him tonight. Do you want a book to read?"

"No, thanks. Give me a bed-jacket though, will you, dear? There's one hanging in the closet."

Alice opened the closet door, and stepped inside. She had to rummage around a little before she found the jacket. Then, as she pulled it off the hook, she froze in her tracks. It was just as if she had seen a snake.

"Can't you find it?" Muriel called.

Alice backed hastily out of the closet. She took a deep breath, blinked and handed Muriel the garment.

"What's the matter?" Muriel glanced at her from beneath lowered lashes.

"Nothing," Alice forced her voice back to normal. "I just swallowed the wrong way, I guess. And that"—she laughed, too brightly—"reminds me. I'd better go tell the cook about your dinner."

EARLY the next morning Alice found Muriel in the study reading her manuscript. Muriel looked fresh and relaxed.

"Hi, doctor," she said. "You gave me a good prescription. I feel like a million dollars."

"Well, don't go at it too hard today," Alice warned. "There's no wild rush."

"Mm. Could be, dear, that there is a rush." Then, unexpectedly, Muriel's eyes darkened. "I said I felt like a million. I do expect to get one thing. And I'm going to get it off my chest right now. You

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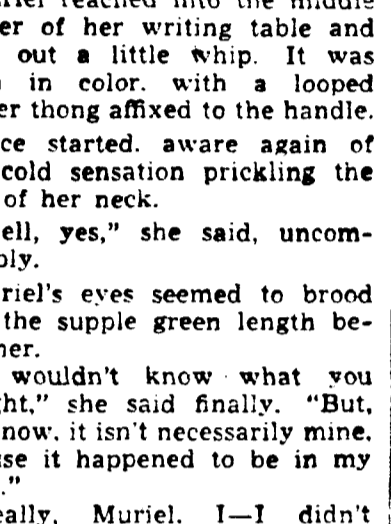
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I.C. Opens Picasso, Matisse Exhibition

The art department of Illinois College announces a new exhibition open in the halls of Tanner Library. It is a Picasso-Matisse, and comes from the Franco-American audiovisual distribution center of New York City. It combines reproductions of paintings by the two great modern artists of France, done in 1900, as well as earlier drawings by each.

Henri Matisse was the first great 20th century artist, heading the Paris painters called "Fauves" or "Wild Beasts" in 1906. He is still

Helen Brown Read Gives Sorority Valentine Party

Mrs. Helen Brown Read held a Valentine party for Gamma and Chi Alpha Upsilon chapters of Beta Sigma Phi at her home on Caldwell street Monday evening, and Mrs. Alpha B. Applebee talked of her recent trip to middle Europe, which she termed "An Adventure in Friendship." Songs were presented by Doris Souza, accompanied by Mrs. Read.

The speaker whom Mrs. Read introduced, stressed the many evidences she and her husband found of helpfulness and interest wherever they went, and said that the difference in languages and states of living was no barrier to friendship. She also described the struggle being made to maintain good standards of living there.

After her address Mrs. Applebee answered questions for the group. Musical selections presented were "Villanelle," "The Last Rose of Summer," and "The Laughing Song."

The hostess followed the program with the serving of refreshments from a table decorated for Valentine's Day. Miss Powell poured and Mrs. John May cut the heart shaped cake.

Members present were Mesdames Merle Ingels, Fenton Sparger, Gordon Lemme, John May, Thomas Suob, Francis Angel, Ralph Hanks, Wade, Jack Frisch, Frank Moffitt, Gay Hamilton, Elbert Bragg, Charles Viera, William Murgas, Ralph Wilber, Jr., Sidney Weisman and Marian Chaschauer. The Misses Powell, Wuebbold, Cobb, Buyle, Corrington, Butcher and Wolke also attended.

Guests were Mrs. Applebee, Miss Souza and Miss Jacobs.

Mrs. Fred Wagner, 84, Of Patterson Observes Birthday

Patterson—a dinner was held Sunday, Feb. 12, in the home of Mrs. Fred Wagner, west of town, for her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Newton, in honor of her 84th birthday. Mrs. Newton resides in the Wagner home.

Others present were Arnold Newton and daughter, Joan, who also reside in the Wagner home. Sam Newton, and Mrs. Charles Newton, of White Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Newton of Patterson, and her granddaughter, Judy Allen of White Hall, Mary Barnett and Bet Newton.

Party For Bus Driver

A party was held last Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Barnett and family honoring George Marshall, bus driver the past two years for the Roodhouse Community high school, who was discontinuing his duties to take up other work. Besides the Barnett family and Mr. Marshall, others present were Mrs. Marshall and 14 students from this community who were riders on his bus.

Games were played during the evening, and ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. Barnett was assisted in the serving by Mrs. Maude Crabtree.

POSSIBLE UNION TOPIC OF PROGRAM PAPERS

A round table presentation of an important subject, "Shall the Protestant Churches Unite?" will be presented in the Grace church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

In view of the fact that many major denominations are thinking and planning to unite, the subject is of timely importance to the people of Jacksonville and vicinity.

Papers will be presented by Rev. John Collins of the Centenary church, and Rev. Leslie Houston of the Central Christian church. The moderator will be Dr. Malcolm Stewart, professor of philosophy, Illinois College. An opportunity will be given to ask questions at the close of the presentation.

FORMER MACMURRAY ART TEACHER MARRIED JAN. 29

Miss Ruth Gay, a professor in the MacMurray art department for seven years, 1939-1946, was married on Jan. 29 to Harry Haven. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Gay, parents of the bride, of Niagara Falls, N.Y.

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Ohio Pastor Opens Religious Emphasis Week At M'Murray

Dr. Charles F. Murphy, minister of the Walnut Hills-Avoncote Methodist church in Cincinnati, Ohio, made his initial address Tuesday morning in observance of MacMurray College's Religious Emphasis Week. Dr. Murphy spoke in Annie Merner Chapel on the subject: "The Call to Worship." He addressed the students again last night, and will also be heard Wednesday morning and Wednesday evening.

Dr. Murphy is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University and drew theological Seminary where he became a Methodist minister and joined the Ohio Conference in 1930. He early distinguished himself in the ministry as an associate minister of the large Epworth-Euclid Methodist church in Cleveland, Ohio. In Toledo, a few years later as minister of the Monroe Street Methodist church which has a membership of more than 2,500, he was extraordinarily successful.

He joined the Chaplain corps in the armed services during World War II and served overseas two years in the Air Force with the Sixth Bombardment group which saw service for 18 months on Tinian Island in the Marianas.

Chaplain Murphy was in the lead ship of the Army Task Force of 300 B-29s as it flew over Tokyo and on the Battleship Missouri on the day of the peace-arranging activities. Decorations awarded him were the Presidential Citation, the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with four campaign battle stars, the Army Recommendation ribbon, the Philippines Campaign ribbon, the American Theatre ribbon and the World War II ribbon.

In May, 1947, Dr. Murphy preached the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of MacMurray. His subject was "What Are You Going To Do With Our World?" That evening at commencement, the College conferred upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity in recognition of his unusually successful record in his services to both the church and the Armed Forces during the war.

Dr. Murphy is holding individual and group conferences with students while he is on the MacMurray campus.

Mrs. Anna Scott Feted By Durbin WSCS On Birthday

Durbin—Members of the W.S.C.S. and their guests gathered at the home of Miss Rhoda Scott Friday afternoon in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Anna Mae Scott. About 25 were present.

The afternoon was spent in contests followed by refreshments. Mrs. Scott was presented with a gift by the society. She is moving to a new home at Elkhart, Ind.

Hold Duck Dinner

A family duck dinner in honor of several February birthdays was given by Mr. and Mrs. Truman Oxley Sunday. The occasion also celebrated the wedding anniversary of the hosts. Their son, Robert; George Young, Paul Nolan, Wyman Oxley and Mrs. John Oxley were those born in February.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. George Young and daughter, Barbara, of Alton, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nolan and son, Gene, and daughter, Carol of Murraville, Wyman Oxley, Billie Lee and Donna Kay, and Mr. and Mrs. John Oxley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith attended open house at the Illinois College girls' dormitory Sunday afternoon.

Their daughter, Martha, is a student there.

Mrs. John Rawlings, Mrs. Harold McDevitt, Mrs. Colla Oxley and Mrs. Wendell Rawlings went on the bus tour from Jacksonville at St. Louis Monday for the Home Bureau members.

CASS SCHOOL FRIDAY ON FREEZING METHODS

Virginia—Miss Frances Cook, food and nutrition specialist, University of Illinois, will be in Cass county Friday to train local Home Bureau leaders on how to Prepare Fruits and Vegetables for Freezing.

This training school will be held in the home economics rooms in the Virginia high school from 1 to 4 p.m. Every unit in the county is urged to have representatives present for the school.

BLUFFS NURSE TO WED JERSEY MAN FEB. 21

Bluffs—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick F. Tischer are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Bette Lou, to Robert H. Brammeier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Brammeier of Jerseyville.

The wedding will take place on Tuesday morning, Feb. 21 at 10 o'clock at the rectory of the Church of the Holy Ghost in Jerseyville.

Miss Tischer is a graduate of the Bluffs community high school and Our Saviour's School of Nursing in Jacksonville.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith of Murraville, Route 2, are the parents of a 9 lb. 2 oz. daughter born at 6:37 p.m. Tuesday at Passavant hospital.

ASBURY WSCS TO MEET

The Asbury W.S.C.S. will meet Thursday at 12:30 p.m. for a potluck luncheon at the home of Mrs. Earl Hemmrough, with Mrs. Lena Clark as assistant hostesses.

WEDS ON PARENT'S GOLDEN WEDDING DATE



Winchester—A couple married at from Our Saviour's hospital, where he has resided for several years. Both Mr. and Mrs. Fischer attended Illinois schools. She is a motion picture hair stylist, he is a business man who served in the Navy during World War II. An anniversary reception preceded the wedding reception followed by a reception for the couple.

Morgan Soil District To Meet Here Friday

Cass Kiwanis Club Chooses Delegates To National Meet

Virginia—The regular meeting of the Virginia Kiwanis club was held at the Legion Home Monday evening, with President Guy H. Husted presiding.

Dr. Clarence N. Waters, Roy T. Hanks and Anton J. Cerveny were welcomed as new members of the club.

Elzie Myers for the entertainment committee introduced Miss Ruth Ann Buler of Ashland who rendered several vocal selections.

James H. Massie and Paul E. Young were selected as delegates to the International Kiwanis convention scheduled for Miami, Fla. May 7-11. J. S. Hayward and George Dieren were named alternates.

Plans were completed for the serving of pancakes and sausage Monday at the East Side Cafe in Virginia. Proceeds will be used for local projects.

At the close of the meeting a group of ten men from the local club went to Jacksonville where Kiwanians were putting on a similar project. They were able to obtain valuable pointers on a project of this nature.

A "World Day of Prayer" which is open to the people of all denominations will be held in the Presbyterian church of Virginia on Friday, Feb. 24 at 2 p.m.

Miss Eloise Ross of St. Louis and Bruce Roman of Granite City spent the weekend with Mrs. Rachel Ross.

Mrs. Dietz Speaks To Alexander Club

Mrs. Lena Dixon Dietz, director of nurse at Passavant hospital, was the speaker at the Alexander Women's club meeting, held with Mrs. Frances Beerup.

Introduced by Mrs. Grace Davenport, Mrs. Dietz discussed "New Drugs." Mrs. Davenport read an article on "Health."

Mrs. Dorothy Forbes was accepted as a new member. Eleven members responded to roll call. Guests were Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Byron Strawn and son, Byron Lee. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be held with Miss Flora Hall. There will be a potluck dinner at noon.

Pantomime Gains Win For F. Smith At Toastmasters

Members of the Morgan county Soil Conservation district will hold their annual meeting at Farm Bureau hall at 1:30 p.m. Friday. Reports of the year's activities will be heard and three board members will be chosen.

Percy "Pat" Johnson, director of the University of Illinois soil experiment fields, will be the principal speaker. Mr. Johnson will address the annual meeting of the Cass county district in Virginia Tuesday evening.

Lester E. Martin of Alexander, chairman of the district, will preside. He will review the activities of the board during 1949 and Conservationist Ted Pierce will give his report on progress made during the past 12 months.

John T. Whelan, district conservationist, will speak on plans for the new year, which will include special emphasis on the grass and legume program.

The terms of Chairman Martin and Directors H. P. Joy of Chapin and Clyde Meier of Waverly expire this year. R. G. Leavell of Jacksonville and Warren Brockhouse of Concord are the other two directors.

A nominating committee will present the names of three men to serve for two-year terms. On this committee are Charles R. Gibson of Franklin, Harold Hamel and Boyce Moore of Jacksonville.

John King Dies; Native Of Scott, Once County Clerk

Winchester—John R. King passed away at St. John's hospital in Springfield at 12:15 p.m. Tuesday. He was born in Scott county on Dec. 18, 1874.

Mr. King served as postmaster here for four years and was county clerk for a long period. He was active in the Democratic party and a member of the I.O.O.F. lodge at Winchester.

Nora Marsh King, wife of the deceased, preceded him in death in 1945. Surviving are one son, Lewis, of St. Louis, and one daughter, Mrs. Vera Evans of Cleveland, Ohio.

The body was brought to the Danforth Funeral Home here. Arrangements are incomplete pending the arrival of the daughter.

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HONOR MARIE GINDER AT HARDY RESIDENCE

Mrs. Raymond Hardy, 501 North Prairie street, was hostess to the employees of the second floor of the New Method Book Bindery at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Marie Ginder on Monday evening.

Games and contests were conducted, and prizes were won by Mrs. Fairy Pullam, Mrs. Nina Long, Mrs. Madrona Deaton, Mrs. Ed Dale Long, Dorilee Hardy, Miss Nora Davis, Mrs. George Wilkerson, Mrs. Earl White, Rachel Wade and Mrs. Frances Calahan.

Refreshments were served by the hostess.

GIFT FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Branham, 511 South Diamond street, received a large basket of fruit from Miami, Fla., from Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Floreth, 707 West College avenue, who are spending the winter there.

SPECIAL MEETING

Mr. H. L. Card, speaker of national prominence will lecture on "The Evils of Communism" Fri. Feb. 17, 8 p.m. Arcadia Community Hall. Sponsored by Anti Thief Ass'n. Public urged to attend.

Methodist Fellowship Plans Meetings Here

MacMurray College will be host to the eighth annual conference of the Illinois Methodist Student Movement, Feb. 17-19.

Some 125 students from Methodist and State Colleges throughout Illinois will attend MacMurray and Illinois College students who are members of the Methodist Student Fellowship are making the plans for the conference, under the leadership of Miss Jeannette Lane, Illinois conference representative.

The theme of the conference is to be "The Role of the Christian in Today's World." Dr. Lowell B. Hazard, professor of religion at Illinois Wesleyan university, is to be the principal speaker and will preside at the forums. Dr. Hazard's first address will be at 7:30 Friday evening. He will have for his title "What is a Christian?"

On Saturday at 9 a.m. he will address the group on: "How Does Christianity Function Best in Society," and again at 7:30 p.m. on: "Your Task and Mine."

A discussion period will follow each address.

Business sessions, periods of worship and recreation are also being planned for the conference. All delegates will have their meals together at McClelland Hall. Officers are to be elected and will be installed Sunday morning.

Amvets Induct 11 Members, Arrange Stag, Hag Party

At the regular meeting of Amvets post 100, held Feb. 14 at the post quarters, 11 new members were accepted. Joseph J. Tomlovich, John S. Watkins, Ernest E. Morris, Bill Robinson, Gordon Walker, Wilbur G. DeFries, James A. Cockerill, James H. Long and Ethan Allen.

A Stag and Hag party for members and feminine guests will be held at the post quarters on March 3. This event will feature a fish dinner and various entertainment. The committee in charge consists of Bob Hoffman, chairman, Lowell White, John Bendles, Benson Wheeler and George M. Anderson.

The rabbits bagged by various members of the post at a recent "rabbit round-up" will be taken out of storage and served to members and guests at a rabbit supper to be held on Thursday.

A third district meeting of Illinois Amvets will be held in Jacksonville on Sunday, Feb. 26. The committee making arrangements in connection with this "miniature convention" consists of C. P. Siegfried, chairman, Harold Myers and Darrel Berline.

Wesley Petefish, representing the local Sad Sacks organization, reported the purchase and installation of a new television antenna which has been donated by the Sad Sacks to the post. As many members as possible are asked to report to the Amvets club on Sunday morning, at which time the old antenna tower will be dismantled, weather permitting.

At the close of the meeting Louis McCoy, appearing as "Miko, The Magician," presented a program of sleight-of-hand tricks.

Officers Chosen By Happy Readers Of Sinclair Unit

Officers were elected and a program presented at the meeting of the Happy Readers club Friday evening at the Sinclair consolidated school.

President is Danny Denham; vice president, Diane Wilson; secretary and treasurer, Carolyn Martin; reporter, Badley Wankel.

Book reports were given by Janet Strickler, Donna Mason, Diana Wilson and Beverly Strickler, and songs were sung by Diane Wilson and Charles Sample. Harold Mason, Bradley Wankel and Ernest Johnson; Camilla Thompson and Carolyn Martin; and Camilla Thompson, Beverly and Janet Strickler, Diane Wilson and Sharon Denham.

Gerald Sample played an accordion solo. A Valentine story was told by Sharon Denham and a story about Lincoln by Danny Denham. The girls concluded the program with "A Valentine for Mother."

Hostesses were Eloise Mason, June Thompson and Elnor Martin. Mrs. Eugene Martin, Gaylon and Jane, and Judy Davies were guests. Soft drinks and doughnuts were served.

M'Murray Juniors To Present Prom Saturday Night

The Junior class of MacMurray College will present its annual prom "Fantasy in Frost," Saturday evening in McClelland Hall.

Marion Veath is general chairman of the dance. Dixie Versteeg is chairman of the orchestra committee which secured George Johnson and his band of St. Louis.

During the dance, coffee will be served at the Juniors' dormitory in Kathryn Hall, for the seniors, the faculty, the freshmen honor line and their escorts. On Sunday morning a breakfast is to be held at the Dunlap hotel for all members of the class.

High point of the dance will be the coronation of the Junior Prom Princess who will be attended by a court composed of two attendants, the dance chairman, Miss Veath, and the class president, Margaret Leaverton. Sixteen freshmen will form the honor line for the princess and her court.

Miss Jerrie Wood of Jacksonville is one of the attendants.

JEFFERSON PTA PLANS FOUNDER'S PROGRAM

Jefferson P.T.A. will observe founder's day at its meeting to be held Thursday at 3 p.m. Dr. Darrell Blodgett will speak on "Freedom Through Education." The district director, Mrs. Paul Smith of Bluffs, will also be present. Music will be furnished by Mrs. Hunge's third grade pupils. There will be a business session and a social hour and all members are urged to attend.

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Office Room over Steinheimer's, Drug Store. M. E. Gilbert.

NOTICE

Pinechle and Bridge party at the K.P. Hall, Waverly, Ill. Thursday, Feb. 16th, at 2 P.M. Public invited.



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